reather to-day will be warm.

ATHER YESTERDAY was clear and

Someter at the Dispatch office May 21, 1875. 

## LOCAL MATTERS.

is services will be held in all of rches to-morrow except the folappointments: Methodist .- Rev. J. P. Otis at

Metawkist. - Rev. A. C. Bledsoc at 18:15 P. M. to the list. - Rev. E. N. S. Blogg Rev. D. P. Wills, presiding

oglish Lutheran (Odd-Fellows) Y. Cline at 11 A. M. Christian .- Rev. L. A. Cutand S P. M.

A. M. Rev. H. Mellville Presbyterian .- Rev. Henof St. Joun's church, Liberty,

Rev. G. C. Lorimer, D. D. 11 A. M. and S:15 P. M. R v. C. C. Bitting, D.

M. and 8:15 P. M. test, Rev. Dr. Corey at 11 A s P. M. The monthly

Hev. J. A. French and others will TAL SUSDAY SCHOOL MEETING .- The day-Senool Union will hold its time at St. Paul's te-morrow

o'clock. Addresses will be

ASSESSED ANY CELEBRATION. - The anniverof the Broad Street Methodist Sunday will be held to morrow afternoon at

easies at the Montmental church on too, has been fixed at 5 P. M. The annual Association dinner will take n Monday the 24th, and on Tuesday c5 h there will be a concert at the Vir opera-House in aid of the benevolent

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es to the International Con-Men's Christian Associated by the Committee of Arfrom the Associations the work. inited States is expected in

suggestions by way of emendation revenient; the gentlemen to report y meeting of the Board, at which Hotehkiss is to be invited to be

Suprintendent of Public Printing directed to proceed with the publication maps attached to Major Hotchkiss's

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aylor submitted a form to be obagency of the Board in the sale as authorized to perfect said form o have it printed and circulated.

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ento for \$4,400; 80 feet on Marshall street, Twenty-seventh for \$4,250.

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thenco for the season.

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RICHMOND, VA., SATURDAY MORNING, MAY 22, 1875.

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THIRD DAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

The Virginia Bible Society Discussed Interesting Reports from Standing

Committees.

DIOCESAN MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

The Council resumed its business vesterday morning in the lecture-room of St. Paul's church-Bishop Johns presiding. The religious exercises were conducted by Rev. B. E. Habersham, of St. Paul's church,

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

On motion of Rev. Mr. Habersham, Rev. Anderson Wade, of Westover, was granted leave of absence for the remainder of the session of the Council in consequence of the death of one of his parishioners.
On motion, Rev. George T. Wilmer, of

Williamsburg, was granted leave of absence for the remainder of the session on account of his official duties.

NOMINATION OF TRUSTEES.

The Chair stated that he had been requested to announce that there was a vacanev in the Board of Trustees of the Virginia Female Institute in consequence of the death of Dr. Francis T. Stribling; and it was necessary that the Council should nominate three gentlemen, from which number the trustees of the Institute may select one to fill the vacancy. Mr. Tszewell Taylor, of Norfolk, one of

the trustees, nominated Messrs, James H. Skinner, Thomas E. Elder, and Alexander

In this connection, General Francis H Smith, of Lexington, made an interesting statement of the affairs of the Virginia Female Institute, in the course of which he took occasion to say that the Institute property had cost originally \$7,000; that it is now held and secured in this diocese, and that it can now be sold for \$35,000. The trustees will hold their next meeting in Alex-

MORE LAY DELEGATES. Rev. Dr. Norwood, from the Committee on Credentials, reported that the following lay delegates had arrived, their credentials had been examined, and they had been found entitled to seats-viz.; R. C. Fitzbugh, Overwhorton parish; George V. Moneure, Overwhorton parish; Joseph W. Chinn, North Farnham parish; J. F. Whittield, Powhatan parish; R. F. Archer, Manakin parish; Colonel Henry Carrington, Cornwall parish, Grace church, Charlotte county; Colonel d by several distinguished ministers | Henry Gantt, St. Aun's parish, Albemarle county; R. H. Turner, Hanover parish, King George county; B. M. Randolph, Emmanuel tack on to them the one under discussion; parish, Fauquier county.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS. When the Council adjourned on Thursday it had under consideration the resolutions presented by Mr. Sheffey, chairman of the Committee from the Brotherhood. The consideration of the resolution was resumed sunday, the first day of the British celebra-ton has been fixed at 5 P. M. The annual Mr. Habersham, H. W. Sheffey, Esq., Rev. mend that he return the boots which he Kinloch Nelson, and Mr. J. L. Williams. The resolutions were finally agreed to.

A NEW PARISH. Rev. Dr. Norwood, from the Committee on New Parishes, reported upon the resolution presented by Mr. R. E. Withers yesterday, recommending that a new parish be To DAY .- The teachers and established in Smyth county, to be known as

Christ Church parish. The report was received.

FROM THE GENERAL CONVENTION. Mr. Tazewell Taylor laid before the Counil a series of resolutions passed by the last General Convention embodying certain proposed changes in the constitution of the Episcopal Church to be voted upon at the next General Convention, which will be held

On motion of Mr. Taylor, the resolutions were ordered to be spread upon the Journal of the Council.

THE BIBLE CAUSE. Rev. George Woodbridge, D. D., of the donumental church, stated that the Board of Managers of the Virginia Bible Society had appointed a committee to represent the and as a member of that committee he desired to present the following resolutions: Whereas it appears that the Virginia Bible Society is successfully prosecuting its work in searching out and supplying the destitute amilies in our Commonwealth with the Holy

Scriptures; therefore 1. Rescived, That this Council commend have not been called on to the Bible cause to the sympathy and cordial cooperation of all the parishes in the Diocese of Virginia.

2. Resolved, That it be earnestly recomort to Messrs. William P. mended to ad in their several parishes to Potts, and James Gordon. take up an annual collection to aid the Bible Society of Virginia in the prosecution of

Dr. Woodbridge made a most interesting in the 26th instant. The committee address in advocacy of his resolutions and who can entertain delegates in setting forth the importance of the work to use state the number that can be ac- of the Bible Society. He also took occasion sted by them and their place of resi- to speak regretfully of the small amount which had been contributed last year by the churches in the diocese to aid in the prosecution of the important work of dissemina-

> Rev. R. H. Mason followed Dr. Woodbridge, but opposed the resolutions because the Bible Society is not under the control or guidance of the Council, and because he did not exactly know what the management of the Society was. He was not familiar with the workings of the Society.

> Rev. Dr. Peterkin cordially seconded the resolutions, but regretted that any allusion had been made to the smallness of the contributions of the churches to this cause last year. As to the position taken by Mr. Mason, he agreed with him in not endorsing and sanctioning the operations of any Society; but the Bible cause was a far different and an important work, and he hoped the reso-

lutions would be adopted. Mr. Tazewell Taylor, of Norfolk, also se-

conded the resolutions. Rev. D. F. Sprigg, D. D., heartily approved the first resolution, but thought the others should be amended. He desired the adoption of the resolutions because he had ands in Virginia; whereupon Mr. had occasion to find fault with the financial management of the Society.

Mr. Sprigg then proposed to amend the resolutions by the adoption of the follow-

3. Resolved, That this Council recommend to the Board of Managers of the Virginia Bible Society a more economical administration of its financial affairs.

Rev. Kinloch Nelson, of Richmond, said that he was in favor of aiding the Bible Sosleatner, in 60 seconds; Company C, ciety, but he wanted some questions answersteenth street) steamer, in 50 seconds; ed. Among them, he desired to know if he plany D. (Brook avenue) steamer, in 34 should give a dollar to the cause what part of G, hose-company, on Tenth street, that sum would go to buy Bibles for distriaround the square and had a stream on in bution? If this question could be satisfacminutes and fifty seconds. Companies torily answered he feit sure that all the A and E have to run their apparatus out in clergy would go home and cordially support

Dr. Woodbridge said he would deprecate the addition of any such resolution at this NVEYANCES OF REAL ESTATE FOR THE time. Already the question of relinquishing ENDING MAY 21, 1875 .- Lots fronting : the charter of the Virginia Bible Society is

> He has organized 120 auxiliary societies since he has been in office; and the lay mem-

Mr. Haymond, of Bedford, opposed Dr. Sprigg's resolution, and said that he had widows and orphans of deceased clergymen, carefully examined the reports and believed reported that the fund now consists of

Buffalo Lithia Springs, is stopping it operations of the Society.

bly had the intended effect. The hour of 11 o'clock having arrived, pending the consideration of the subject the

Chair announced that recess would be taken

DIVINE SERVICE. At the 11-o'clock service Rev. J. H. Morrison, D. D., of Goochland, and Rev. T. F. Martin, of Clarke, officiated, both the bishops being in the chancel. The sermon was from the Rev. Henderson Suter, of Liberty, on the text, "Blessed is the man to whom the Lord will not impute sin." It was marked by the ability and earnestness characteristic of the preacher.

AFTER RECESS.

When the Council took a recess for service the resolutions relative to the Virginia

Bible Society were under discussion. Dr. Minnigerode, on behalf of the Society explained its operations, and repudiated the idea entertained by many persons that it was a commercial institution, organized for the purpose of making money. He alluded in complimentary terms to the results of the labors of the present general agent, especially the donations, which, through his instrumentally, had been made by the American Bible Society. He contended that the affairs of the Society were economically managed, and that really all the money which the Society had had been expended in the work of the organization. It had cost something. of course, to distribute the Bibles. It has been necessary to have an office and a depository, and the agent had devoted his whole time and attention to the work. He desired the Council to understand that every cent of the money had been and would in the future be faithfully expended. The very purest and best Christian laymen in commercial circles have been at the head of the institution; and will the Council now cast an imputation upon them?

Colonel Beverley moved to amend Di Sprigg's resolution so as to strike out the word "more." Mr. Raymond said be hoped there would

be no amendment, but that the resolution would be buried so deep that it would never be heard of again. Colonel Withers hoped the amendment would be adopted, because he had consulted the mover of the resolution and that it was

satisfactory to him. Rev. Kinloch Nelson disclaimed any in ention of reflecting on the Society. Mr. Tazewell Taylor said that he hoped mietus would be given to the resolution.

He thought it would be very inappropriate to give advice to the Board of Managers. Rev. Mr. Dashiell said Dr. Sprigg's resolution ought not to be adopted if the Council proposed to give its sanction to the work of he Society. Let's do one thing or the other. It would, in his judgment, look very badiy to pass the first two resolutions and then which would look as if the Council doubted

the honesty or capacity of the members of the Society. Judge Sheffey said it reminded him of the verdict of a jury in the case of a man who They brought in a verdict that "we, the

stole." [Laughter.] The first resolution Dr. Sprigg opposed the second resolution. He said that seventy per cent. of the Society's funds had been expended in the payment of saluries of agents. He could not consent to take up collections for the Society in his parish when seventy per cent. of its

funds had been paid in that way. It was an outrage. Rev. R. H. McKim hoped that the resolution of Dr. Sprigg would not pass. He did not think it was in the province of the Council to approve or disapprove of the administration of the affairs of the Society. It was beneath the dignity of the Council. The Bible cause had been encorsed by the Council. Now, let each minister decide whether he will or will not take up a collection. The one resolution was all-sufficient. He hoped the subject would be allowed to go to the parishes, to be acted upon as the

ministers might see fit. Dr. Woodbridge said Dr. Sprigg was laboring under a wrong impression. The Society had not spent seventy per cent. of their He hoped that if the Council would not endorse the Virginia Bible Bible Society. He deprecated the discussion. It it is allowed to go out it will possibly be the means of making the Virginia Bible Society relinquish its charter and the Society resolve itself into a city Bible organi-

Rev. Dr. Hanckel inquired whether if the second resolution was adopted it would debar him from taking up a collection for an auxilary society.

Several voices: Yes, sir. Well, if that be the case, he hoped that the inqualified endorsement of the cause would

be deemed amply sufficient. Rev. Dr. Peterkin hoped that the matter so much discussion. He felt sure that the extraordinary expenses which occurred two | Society, and to present the annual statement years ago, and which gave rise to this de. of their proceedings to the Council. oute, would not occur again. They were when the affairs of the Society were so low aries and mission stations with prayer-books should be expended.

Dr. Hanckel moved to lay the two remaining resolutions on the table. Agreed to.

Mr. Massic, from the committee to whom was referred the subject of clerical support, presented a report, which sets forth that one hundred and five parishes had been heard from, eleven of which number had been de- at 10 o'clock. licquent in the payment of the salaries promised their ministers-a smaller proportion than is usually the case. It appears to the committee that from one-fourth of the dio-

cese there were no reports. The committee recommend that the secretary of the Council publish in the Churchman, at his earliest convenience, a list of all the occupied parishes failing to report, notifying them that if they will at once send their reports the list will be corrected and they will not be published in the Journal as

being in default. On the subject of rectories the committee are gratified to report a marked progress in the past few years. Of the 105 parishes heard from, 44 report comfortable rectories, in some cases with 50, 60, and 100 acres attached; and six others report steps in progress to procure rectories. Five parishes report that they have paid to their rectors

amounts larger than promised. The report was adopted.

AFTERNOON SESSION DEFEATED. Mr. N. H. Massie moved that when the Council adjourn it adjourn to meet at 5 P.

An ineffectual effort was made to reconsider the vote. DISABLED CLERGY.

Rev. M. Maury submitted the report of the committee appointed to examine the accounts of the treasurer of the fund for the relief of and sincer between Hancock with very serious results. A conference of the friends of the cause has been called to be friends of the cause has been called to be friends of the cause has been called to be held in Staunton in August, and he boped for \$2.24: 20 feet on Main street near Eighbord would result from that convention.

Those who desire trizing with he attended disabled clergymen, and also to consider the success. A larger and more brilliant audience success. A larger and more brilliant audience success. A larger and more brilliant audience never assembled at that place of amusement, and a handsome sum was doubtless realized. The performance passed off very well, and found them correct, and they nominated Mafound the accounts and found them correct, and they nominated Mafound the found them correct, and they nominated Mafound the found them correct, and they nominated Mafound the found them correct, and they nominated Mafound them correct them the correct of the correct of the fund, reported the properties of the correct of the fund, reported the correct of the fund, reported the correct of the fund, reported the correct Dr. Minnigerode defended the Board of jor John H. Claiborne, of this city, to fill the much credit is due to the gentlemen who vacancy now existing, making the committee to consist of Messrs. John L. Bacon, John Stewart, R. E. Ambler, B. J. Barbour, John

H. Claiborne. Adopted. WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' FUND. Rev. Churchill J. Gibson, from the board of managers of the fund for the relief of the Colone Thomas F. Goode, proprietor of that great economy had been observed in the securities amounting to \$21,568.18—no increase upon the fund of last year, because Rey, Dr. Peterkin appealed to Dr. Sprigg the board thought it best in the present state lish a notice in another column.

The Protestant Episcopal Council. to withdraw his resolution, as it has proba- of suffering and scarcity of money to distribute the whole amount of their last year's income. The income of this year will be a little larger than usual-\$1,444.19, out of which the board have determined to appropriate \$1,400 to the relief of eight families, giving each of them \$175. Eleven parishes out of 150 have not given anything, and the

April. united contributions of all bave supplied to the income \$142.50. The board report with regret the resignation of the treasurer, Mr. John L. Bacon. They have elected in his stead Mr. P. H. Mayo, of this city, who has kindly consented to act as treasurer. The board ask that the name of Mr. Mayo, who will be one of the trustees of the fund, he substituted for that of Colonel Thomas H. submitted without argument to the jury, who, after an absence of about ten minutes Ellis, who has removed beyond the State.

In view of the past valuable services of

the late treasurer the committee present the

following, which, together with the report, were unanimously adopted: Resolved, That the thanks of the Council are hereby most cordially tendered to John L. Bacon, Esq., for his long continued care ment of the court in overruling the motion and most faithful and judicious management of the widows' and orphans' fund of this

diocese. On motion, the following gentlemen were appointed clerical managers of the fund: Rev. Churchill J. Gibson, D. D., Rev. James Grammer, and Rev. T. G. Da-

Rev. Mr. Suter, from the committee appointed to examine the accounts of the treaurer of the widows' and orphans' fund, reported that the duty bad been performed and the account found correct. Adopted. DIOCESAN MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

Rev. Charles Minnigerode, D. D., submitted the annual report of the Executive Committee of the Diocesan Missionary Society, from which it is ascertained that the unexpended balance in the hands of the treasurer May 1, 1874, was \$1,083.98. The receipts for the year were \$4,405.31, and the disburse ments during the same period were \$4,729.25, leaving a balance in the hands of the treasurer May 1, 1875, of \$760.04. The number of missionaries aided by this society during the year was twenty-nine, who have been laboring in twenty-eight counties and towns of the diocese. Rev. F. M. Baker was appointed general agent of the society about 1st August last. The committee say they cannot close their report without expressing regret that, notwithstanding their increased efforts, the contributions have not been larger. While this is no doubt owing in a considerable degree to the financial condition of the country, yet in some parts of the diocese the interest evinced in this work is not in proportion to Its merits and claims, and the committee call the attention of ministers and laymen to it. If the Church is to be extended through the liocese, it can only be done by sending ministers of the Church to the destitute points. The report, on motion of Dr. Minnige-

rode, was adopted. Dr. Minnigerode also presented the following : which was adopted:

Resolved, That this Council approves of the appointment of a general agent of the Diocesan Missionary Society, and authorize the committee to continue him in office, and it was alleged had stolen a pair of boots. that their agent have a seat in the Council.

THE BRUCE FUND. Rev. J. S. Hansbrough presented the refund: which duty had been performed, and f the accounts sustained by proper vouchers. Receipts for the year from interest and sale of bonds, \$2,291.97; expended in aid of eleven churches, \$1.460. Adopted.

of the Committee on the Accounts of the Diocesan Missionary Society; which were examined and found correct. Adopted. AMENDMENT TO THE CANONS. Rev. E. H. Ingle offered an amendment to Canon IX., which was referred to a commit-

tee consisting of Rev. E. H. Ingle, Rev. Dr. Morrison, Judge H. W. Sheffey, and Mr. John Stewart, with instructions to report on Saturday. CONSTITUTION OF THE DIGCESAN MISSIONARY

Rev. Churchill J. Gibson, from the committee appointed for the purpose, submitted a constitution for the government of the officers of the Diocesan Missionary Society,

which was discu-sed at length. The Society shall be called the Diocesan Missionary Society of the Protestant Episcopal Church in Virginia, and shall consist of all Society it would endorse the American persons who contribute to its funds. The object of this Society shall be to procure and assist missionaries within the bounds of the diocese. The bishop of the diocese shall be ex officio the president, and the other officers shall be a vice-president, a secretary, a treasurer, and an executive committee consisting of the officers already mentioned in this article and of such other clerical and lay members as the Council may appoint at its annual meeting, any tive of whom shall constitute a quorum, provided both orders are repre-

sented. The duty of the Executive Committee shall be to employ missionaries, to appoint their stations, to give them such instructions as might be compromised by the withdrawal of may be deemed necessary, to provide for the the two resolutions which served to excite payment of their salaries, to take all such measures as may promote the objects of the

The Executive Committee may, when justifiable under the circumstances. There they deem it expedient, employ a portion of are exigencies in the affairs of all institu- the funds of the Society not exceeding one tions. These gentlemen came into office tenth part thereof in supplying its missionthat it was necessary that these large amounts and tracts, and shall in their report to the Council specify what books and tracts have

been so distributed. This constitution may be altered by vote of the majority of the Council present when the alteration is proposed. General F. H. Smith moved that the report be recommitted.

Rev. O. S. Barten moved that the subject be made the order of the day for Saturday

Pending the further consideration of the subject the Council (at 2:30) adjourned. RELIGIOUS SERVICES YESTERDAY .- Rev. J

B. Newton, of Tappahannock, officiated at St. Mark's church on Thursday night. Yesterday morning, Rev. John McGill, of Fairfax county, conducted the services and deivered an address. Last night Rev. Church-Il J. Gibson preached. To-night Rev. Philip Slaughter will preach at 8:15. At St. James yesterday morning Rev. T. M. Carson and Rev. G. W. Dame conducted

the services and delivered appropriate addresses. At Grace church last evening Rev. Alexander H. Waddell, of Harrisonburg, offi-

ciated. There was another large congregation at the Monumental church vesterday atternoon, on which occasion Rev. George Woodbridge,

D. D., the pastor, read the service of the church, and Rev. O. S. Barten, of Christ church, Norfolk, preached. Last night, at St. Paul's church, Rev. Messrs. T. M. Carson, of Lynchburg, and R. T. Davis, of Lecsburg, read the service, and Rev. Mr. Sams, of the Meade Memorial church, Manchester, preached.

THE GENTRY BENEFIT. - The entertainment at the Theatre last night by the Fourth-Street Club for the benefit of the family of the late Captain Joseph B. Gentry was a magnificent a cause.

APPOINTMENT .- Mr. A. B. Armstrong bas been appointed master machinist of the Richmond, York River and Chesapeake railroad vice Mr. Redmond Gay, resigned.

THE ROOMS OF THE YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN Association will be closed on Monday and during the next week to arrange for the National Convention. The lady managers pub-

CHESTERFIELD HOUSE-BURNER. - There was a large attendance at the Chesterfield Circuit Court yesterday to hear the case of Hildrey Page, the negro boy charged with burning Colonel F. G. Ruffin's dwelling-house, in Chesterfield, on the night of the 26th of

Colonel Ruffin was the first witness examined. Mesers. E. Cummine, John Wren, and E.

H. Flournoy were next examined. None of the testimony varied materially from what has beretofore been published. At the conclusion of the examination the case, at about 5:40 o'clock, was

brought in the following verdict : " We, the jury, find the prisoner guilty." The court then adjourned until Tuesday. The prisoner's counsel have filed the following bill of exceptions since the trial commenced: Exception to the opinion and judgto send the accused before a justice of the peace for examination; also, to the opinion of the court in sustaining the demurrer of

refusing to quash the venire facias, and in refusing to quash the indictment. The Commonwealth's attorney and his assistant announced their intention to try Page on another indictment, now pending for burning another house of Colonel Ruffin's on the 31st of March, 1874, and asked that the court summon another venire. The sheriff was instructed so to do.

the Commonwealth to the plea autrofois ac-

quit, as well as to the opinion of the court

[The penalty for burning a dwelling-house in the night-time is death, and is set forth in the first section of chapter 188 of the Code as follows: "If any person, in the night, maliciously burn the dwelling-house of another, or any jail or prison, or maliciously set fire to anything, by the burning whereof such dwelling-house, jail, or prison, shall be burnt in the night, he shall be punished with INFORMATION WANTED OF A MISSING MAN-

WAS HE DROWNED? - Dr. William H. Tayor, coroner of the city, yesterday received the following letter, which explains itself: "Stony Creek, Va., May 21, 1875 .- To the Coroner of the city of Richmond: Will you be so kind as to give me a description of the young man that was found drowned in your city the fore part of the month of April ! The reason I make this inquiry is, my son, John Ladue, went to Richmond the 25th o March, and has not been seen since the 28th of March. My son's age was twenty-three years. He was five feet ten or eleven inches

"Respectfully, yours, NANCY LADUE.
"Address: Stony Creek, Sussex county,

ACCIDENT .- Mr. C. W. Amos, of Manches ter, was accidentally thrown from a wagon in which he was seated yesterday while riding along Hull street by its coming in contact with a dray and badly stunned and scratched about the face. The wagon was also slightly damaged.

POLICE COURT, YESTERDAY - Police-Justice Joseph J. White presiding .- George Taylor port of the committee appointed to examine charged with stealing \$11 in United States the account of the treasurer of the Bruce currency and one gold chain, the property of John W. Davies, was sent to juil for thirt days.

Arthur Hill, charged with having in his possession two chickens of the value of \$1.25, the property of John Dooley, was dis-Rev. W. C. Meredith submitted the report charged. Martha Dickens, charged with having in

her possession one dress of the value of \$5 25, the property of Sarah E. Charity, was discharged. George McShaw was fined \$1 for being

drunk. James Minnis, charged with cursing abusing, and threatening to assault R. Nel son. Discharged. Brookland Garnett, charged with stealing

fron from the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad Company. Discharged. Emma Hicks was fined \$1 for assaulting and beating Mary Carter.

Mary Carter paid \$1 for assaulting and beating Emma Hicks. R. P. Frayser, charged with assaulting and beating James A. Tucker with intent to maim, disfigure, and kill said Tucker. Case continued until the 25th instant.

WE HAVE RECEIVED FROM JOHN W. DAVIRG & SON, of the Lee, Photographic Gallery, No. 920 carefully-selected barks, roots, and herbs, and so strongly concentrated that it will effectually eradiarte de visite photographs of the Rev. M. D. Hoge. D. D. of Richmond. These photographs vary from the full face to the side face. Three of them repre-CEROUS HUMOR, ERYSIPELAS, SALT-RHEUM, sent Dr. Hoge as reading. They are all good. Dr. loge calls them "the very best ever taken of him. They are eminently satisfactory to the family." pure blood. SCIATICA, INFLAMMATORY and CHRO-Those wishing a good photograph of Dr. Hoge NIC EHEUMATISM, NEURALGIA, COUT, and SPIshould write to the Messrs. Davies .- Christian Ob-NAL COMPLAINTS can only be effectually cured through the blood,

LADIES' COMMITTEE OF THE YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION .- Ladies and others who have promised cakes, hams and other meats, for the entertainment to the Convention on the 26th instant are requested to send them to Association Hall by 10 o'clock next Tuesday morning, in order that the tables may be arranged. By order of the

LADY MANAGERS. GAUZE UNDERSHIRTS, one dollar each. GAUZE UNDERSHIRTS, one dollar each. GAUZE UNDERSHIRTS, one dollar each. E. B. SPENCE & SON.

PEMBROKE WHITE DRESS-SHIRTS. PEMBROKE WHITE DRESS-SHIRTS. PEMBROKE WHITE DRESS-SHIRTS. F. B. SPENCE & SON. LINEN and ALPACA COATS, &c. LINEN and ALPACA COATS, &c. E. B. SPENCE & SON. New styles of NECK-; CARFS and TIES.

New styles of NECK-SCARFS and Tias. New styles of NECK-SCARFS and TiEs. E. B. SPENCE & SON. WHITE MARSEILLES and LINEN VESTS. WHITE MARSEILLES and LINEN VESTS. E. B. SPENCE & SON.

One dollar for a good GAUZE SHIRT. One dollar for a good GAUZE SHIRT. One dollar for a good GAUZE SHIRT. E. B. SPENCE & SON. 1300 Main street. MESSES. EDITORS,-We are glad to see that some

of our young men are returning to Virginia. As witness the fact that our popular townsman Mr. GEORGE W. LIEBY, son of Captain Luther Libby, after trying his fortune in the far West, has returned to his native city and engaged in business with Mr. C. P. Winston, in the feed and produce line, and has opened an extensive warehouse on the basin. Let us encourage all our young men, and thus keep them at home.

J. B. LAMBERT & Co., Ninth and Main streets, keep the imported cigars, and sell three good Havana cigars for twenty-five cents, and a No. 1 five-cent cigar. Dianora and all the popular brands of chewing and smoking tobacco.

their nerves, and gives them Bature's sweet sleep—as has been proved by many an aged person. It is the great blood-purifier. It is a soothing remedy for our children. It has relieved and cured thousands. It is very pleasant to take; every child likes it. It relieves and cures all diseases originating from impure blood. Try the VEGETINE. Give it a fair that for your complaints; then you will say to your iffend, neighbor, and acquaintance, "Try it; it has cured me."

chewing and smoking tobacco. HOME INDUSTRY .- Buy the "Excelsior" Water-Cooler and the "Polar" Refrigerator, the ONLY CHARCOAL-PACKED ice-economizers made in this city. For sale by the principal dealers in our line. MOUNTCASTLE & COFER, manufacturers, 520

GENUINE DIANORA CHEWING TOBACCO can be THOSE WHO DESIRE PIZZINI to furnish them

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with his superior ice-creams for bunday should leave their orders before 3 o'clock this afternoon,

BALTIMORE REAL CREAM. CRANGE, LEMON, AND PINEAPPLE ICE, URANGE, LEMON, AND PINEAPPLE ICE. at D. COLUMBUS'S, 321 Broad street. STRAWBERRIES, STRAWBERRIES .- PIZZINI has

a small lot left of this delicious fruit.

and the

STRAWBERRY-, lemon-, pincapple-, chocolatevanilla-, orange-, lemon- and pincapple-ice, freshmade to-day, at D. COLUMBUS'S, No. 321 Broad street.

CASH-INVARIABLY IN ADVANCE.

Spotted Tail and R. d Cloud Indig.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 21 .- The Indians who are now here at the invitation of the Government have made up their minds to quarrel. The two chiefs Spotted Tail and Red Cloud demanded a change of quarters to-day, intimating that if their wishes were not respected they would refuse to go into camp-that is, consent to the grand council soon to take place. The commissioners declined to give them what they wanted, and they left in rather an indignant manner. All the speeches that the various chiefs have made since their arrival have been the usual demand for assistance. The indications are that the Government will meet with very little success in getting them to consent to giving up the Black Hills country.

[Special telegram to the Dispatch ] CHARLESTON, W. VA., May 21 .- One hundred rounds of cannon were fired to-day as the steamer Emma Graham arrived to bear off the Governor and other State officers. The Governor, before departing, shook hands with many warm friends. The contracting drayman was arrested and stopped from removing the archives. The Governor says Judge Smith laces; Amethyst Rings, Aqua Marine Rings, Ori- and all others concerned have assumed the custody of them against law and the Constitution. At 12:30 o'clock the banks of the river as far as could be seen were thronged

Steamer Sunk,

with Charlestonians to witness the departure

of the Governor and other State officers.

[Special telegram to the Dispatch.] CHARLESTON, W. Va., May 21 .- The steam. boat Clara Scott sunk to-day (accidentally)

GENUINE DIANORA CHEWING TOBACCO a bly of the Presbyterian Church South met again this morning-Moderator Hoge in the chair. The usual standing committees were FINE GOLD WEDDING AND ENGAGEMENT appointed, and the Committee of Sustenance RINGS in stock and made to order, any size, by C. GENNET, No. 1001 Main street.

call at the Hamburgh stere of Mr. CHARLES DUNCKER, No. 1718 Main street, and examine his splended assortment of imported auxiliaies and deal-FLECTION TICKETS printed at DISPATCH PRINT are disapproved-that would end the diffiboots or shoes, made in any style. Hand-work only

culty at once." In reply to this, Dr. Nichols says: "We cannot make this recommendation to our As-

blies of which you complain are wholly null and void and of no binding efficacy; that in so far as they or any of them can be supposed to impart any injurious imputations upon the present character or standing of the churches or members

that they be considered by you in the same spirit of charity and Christian forgiveness which we trust those people whom we represent will exercise towards anything to

tirely ignores the past is unsatisfactory." This virtually closed the controversy.

Fires.

bone-factory, near Greenmount Cemetery, Pustules, Pimples, Blotches, Boils, Tetter, Scald just outside of the city limits, was burned Head, and Ringworm, VEGETINE has never failed this morning. Loss on building, machinery, and stock, probably \$15,000. Insured as follows: Black River Company, of New York, Dropsy, Female Weakness, Lencorrhea (arising Old Dominion, of Virginia, and Virginia from Internal ulceration), and Uterine Diseases Fire and Marine, \$1,875 each; and the Brewand General Debility, VEGETINE acts directly ers' Insurance Company, of Milwaukie, and upon the causes of these complaints. It invigorates and strengthens the whole system, acts upon the the Merchants and Mechanics, of Richmond, secretive organs, allays inflammation, cures ulcera-

> works were burned this morning. Loss, \$50,000. Noswolk, Vt., May 21 .- The Fairfield County Fire Insurance Company's buildings

Weather Report. Washington, May 21 .- For the Middle and Eastern States, falling barometer, north-

on the coast, warmer, cloudy or partly cloudy weather, and possibly light rains. In the South Atlantic and Gulf States. falling barometer, warmer southerly winds, partly cloudy weather, and occasional light

Costly Gift to Cardinal McCloskey. The cross was of diamonds with two topazes. It is worth \$20,000, and was the gift of the

appointed for that purpose.

Paris, May 21 .- An international metric convention was signed in this city yesterday by the representatives of all the Powers which participated in the conference on the metrical system.

ing been bad y afficted with salt-theum, and the whole surface of my skin being covered with pluples and eruption; many of which caused me great pain and annoyance, and knowing it to be a bloody a state. I took many of the advertised blood preparations, among which was any quantity of sarsaparilla, without obtaining any benefit until I commenced taking the Vegetine; and before I had completed the first bottle I saw that I had got the right medicine. Consequently I followed on with it until I had taken seven bottles, when I was pronounced a well man, and my skin Is smooth and entirely free from pimples and eruptions. I have never enjoyed so good health before, and I attribute it all to the use of Vegetine. To benefit those afflicted with rheumalism, I will make mention also of the Vegetine's wonderful power of curing me of this acute complaint, of which I have suffered so intensely.

Passenger Agent Michigan C, railroad, 60 Washington street, Boston.

VEGETINE is sold by all druggists.

Naval Paymasters Appointe
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NATURAL FLOWERS EMBAL INSTRUCTIONS IN MUSIC and SIN INSTRUCTIONS IN MAX-WORK and FANCY is METKLD WAS and MATERIALS FOR MIRS. LAURA L. TRUEM, MRS. LAURA L. TRU si le, of Philadelphia, nephew of Senator Cameron, and Otts C. Tiffany, of this city,

or \$1 to for six months.
WEEKLY DISPATCH at \$2 per annum.

TO WESTING To DAY .- The probabilitie

SERVICES To-Morrow .- The

rian .- Rev. H. Mellville 1 A. M. No service at night.

R v. Charles H. Read, D. D.,

Sunday School Missionary courch will be held at 3:30

ck. Addresses, recitations by the British Celebration .- The hour for di

unction with the International ssociation of the United ds, will seek to gather and mation of importance to d acceptable to all denomina-HAN ASSOCIATIONS.—Citizens of

Board of Immigration held yes- ting the Word of God.

Commodore Maury's physical 3 of Virginia with a view to its publiparties desiring to avail them-

te Department the firemen made Company A, (Broad street) mpany E, book and ladder, (same alien,) in 55 seconds; Company B, (Third

Corner Hancock, for \$1,400; 632 feet on Managers, and aliuded to the laborious work broad street between Twenty-sixth and of the present general agent of the Society. PERSONAL .- Mr. J. P. Wood, general mur. bers of the Board are economical, and even eger of the Buffalo Springs, Mecklenburg parsimonious,

## THE DISPATCH.

TERMS OF ADVERTISING:

BY TELEGRAPH.

Special telegram to the Dispatch.]

Off from Charleston for Wheeling.

one mile below this place. Insured. General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church South. Sr. Louis. May 21 .- The General Assem-

made a report. Rev. William Brown, D. D., chairman of the Committee on Friendly Relations between the northern and southern courches, made a lengthy report, which was laid over for future consideration. The gist of the report seems to be in the following passage in the communication to Rev. Dr. Nichols, chairma of the Northern Committee : " If your Assembly could see its way clear to say a few plain words to this effect—that these obnoxious things were said and done in times of great excitement; that they are to be regretted, and that now, in a calm view, the unputations cast upon the Southern Church

sembly for the reason that we are still of the decided conviction that its action for the last four years, so fully cited to you in our com munications, constitute sufficient ground for fraternal correspondence." J. L. APPERSON, 5% P. M., bulleling lots on the south side of Gaca between Twenty-seventh Dr. Nichols then refterates: "All the acts and deliverances of the northern assem-

> of the Southern Assembly as Christians or Presbyterians, such an application of them would be unjust to you, and would be disapproved and regretted by us; that the acts and deliverances of the northern assemblies were made in peculiar times, and under strange and exciting circumstances, when the passions and feelings of men were profoundly moved; that as acts of assemolies which we do not represent we cannot sit in judgment upon them, nor express any opinion as to their character; that we competent to express the desire

which they object in the proceedings of the Southern Assembly." To this the Rev. Mr. Brown replied : "The grievance of which we complain, and which we desire to see removed, lies entirely back of the present, and an adjustment which en-

BALTIMORE, May 21 .- Coulson's glue- and

Va., \$937 each. Cohoes, N. Y., May 21 .- The saw-mill, handlieg-shop, polishing-room, and the furnishing and packing departments connected with Weed & Becker's axe-manufacturing satisfaction as the VEGETINE. It purifies the

> have been burned. Loss, \$150,000. east to southwest winds, increasing to brisk

> New York, May 21 .- At a reception given o Cardinal McCloskey yesterday by the pupils of the Convent of Mount St. Vincent, on the Hudson, he was presented with a casket of flowers containing a pectoral cross.

community of Mount St. Vincent. Meeting of Dry Goods Importers, NEW YORK, May 21 .- A meeting of drygoods importers was held here this evening o take action for the prevention of smuggling of goods. After some discussion it was resolved to form a permanent organization for the present, and a committee was

France.

Naval Paymasters Appointed. Washington, May 21.- Cameron Burn-

NATURAL FLOWERS EMBALMED.
INSTRUCTIONS IN MUSIC and SINGING:
LESSONS IN WAX-WORK and FANOY WORK.
NEED THE WAX and MATERIALS FOR WAX-WORK on hand and for sale.
MRS. LAURA L. TRUEMAN,
my 22-1.\*\*

NAME OF THE COMPANY OF THE PROPERTY.

NOTICE.—The rooms of the Young Men's Christian Association will be closed on MON-JAY the 24th and during the week to arrange for the Convention. No other business will be attended to.

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